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KDOL Honors Employee for Meritorious Service

TOPEKA, Kan. – The Kansas Department of Labor (KDOL) is proud to announce the recipient of its Employee Recognition and Award Program. Kyle Lang was honored for his outstanding job performance. The KDOL Award Program is designed to recognize individual efforts that epitomize excellence. The success as an agency depends on each and every employee providing premier service, working in a team environment, producing results with cost control in mind, creativity and innovation. KDOL rewards employees who embrace these ideals as their own, taking them to the highest personal level possible in job performance.

Kyle Lang, Industrial Safety and Health, was acknowledged as KDOL's Meritorious Service Award winner for February. A few months ago Kyle was promoted to supervisor of the Public Sector and State Workplace Health and Safety units. Additionally, he was elevated by OSHA Regions VII from trainee to OSHA Consultant as a result of his relentless training and quest to seek additional responsibilities.

Recently Kyle had to investigate a tragic death of a city employee. After the investigation and consultation, the Loss Control Agent called KDOL to praise Kyle on his investigation. He said he was extremely knowledgeable and professional in the way he handled the very sensitive investigation. He stated that Kyle put everyone at ease and gave them the assistance they needed to prevent this type of incident from happening again. Kyle conducted himself in a manner that all government employees should aspire to. Without question, Kyle exemplifies the true mission of the Kansas Department of Labor.

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The Kansas Department of Labor assists in the prevention of economic insecurity through unemployment insurance and workers compensation, by providing a fair and efficient venue to exercise employer and employee rights, and by helping employers promote a safe work environment for their employees. This facilitates compliance with labor laws while enabling advancement of the economic well-being of the citizens of Kansas.

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